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**Two Emergency Shelters to Close**

Two of the state's evacuation shelters for Hurricane Sandy will be closing on Tuesday, October 30:

- Middletown High School (New Castle County) at 11:45 a.m.
- and Smyrna Middle School (Kent County) at 12 noon. Both currently are empty.

Five other shelters remain open: William Penn High School (New Castle), Dover High School (Kent), Milford Middle School (Sussex), Cape Henlopen High School (Sussex) and Indian River High School (Sussex). Populations continue to decline at all of the shelters, and others likely will be closed later in the day, with those who still need emergency shelter transferred to another site. The current shelter population statewide is 284.

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